

**AGENDA: PUBLIC POLICY COMMITTEE OF
THE WOMEN'S WORKFORCE COUNCIL**

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- ❖ As a starting point: what is the OWAA position/directive on how it, as an office, supports policy? Is there a spelled-out stance or position on how the office is/will or can support policy? Introduce policy?
- ❖ From that background, what should the public policy platform of our Council be?—what public policy principles do we want to support?
- ❖ Should we collaborate with the Commission for Women; should this be a joint Public Policy Committee for our Council and the Commission?
- ❖ How actively do we advance our public policy principles?
- ❖ What approaches/methods/techniques do we employ?
 - ~~proposing legislative measures
 - ~~identifying relevant legislative / administrative measures
 - ~~methods for notifying Council members about relevant measures between meetings and soliciting input/decision whether to *support or oppose* from them
 - ~~convening planning/strategy sessions with like-minded organizations
 - ~~hosting forums
 - ~~testifying in legislative hearings

I would like to understand what the OWAA position/directive is on how they as an office are supporting policy. Do they have a spelled out stance or position on how the office is/will or can support policy? Introduce policy?

Essentially what we are discussing in this meeting with the bullet points you proposed for the Council.....has that been done for the OWAA and what was the outcome for that office. Since we are under the umbrella of that office it would be nice to know if they have a certain roadmap for how the office handles policy.